### WINNERS NAMED.

The Democrats Name Men Who Will Carry the Banner to Victory on Monday.

Jacob Loeb, a Well Known Citizen Nominated for Mayor Without Opposition.

A Strong Man for the Treasuryship and One Equally as Good for Police Magistrate

The democratic city convention met at Encore hall last evening and placed a ticket in the field which will win. A number of republicans were present who seemed to take a great interest in the proceedings. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, E. W. Knight, who said:

"Gentleman: It becomes my duty as mittee to call to order the convention to be held in this place to select officers and per-form such other duties as will come before it. The people are looking with a great deal of interest to this convention. It is simply a collection of representative business men to select such candidates as will meet the expectations of the citizens of Helena at this time. The convention will select the men who will transact the busi-ness of the city and will recive and be entitled to receive the suffrages of our citi-

Gen. C. W. Turner were placed in nomina-tion for temporary chairman. The two first withdrew, and Gen. Turner was elected. W. E. Cox was chosen for temporary secretary.

It was moved and carried that the dele gates take their seats on the stage, which was done. The movement gave the andi-ence a full view of the workings of the de-

The committee on credentials, consisting of H. Dougherty, James Sullivan, T. F. Mathias, C. R. Stubbs, J. T. Murphy, J. Y. Bennett and Samuel Langhorne was ap-

The following committee on permanent organization and order of business was appointed: C. P. Connolly, John Worth, P. J. Connors, W. B. Hundley, A. J. Steele, J. B. Haiford, B. W. S. Folk.

Gen. Turner said that as the delegates had come there without a slate they should be given an opportunity to prepare one, and for that reason he would ask the audience to temporarily retire. dience to temporarily retire.

Col. Hundley moved to amend by allowing the delegates to retire, and the amend-

A recess of ten minutes was taken. A recess of ten minutes was taken.

The committee on permanent organization reported, placing in nomination Jas. Sullivan for chairman and David Marks for assistant secretary. The report was received and adopted.

Col. Hundley and S. W. Langhorne were appointed to conduct the chairman to his

Mr. Sullivan on taking his seat said:
"Gentlemen of the convention and fellow citizens of Helena: I thank you indeed for the honor you have conferred on me in the honor you have conferred on me in selecting me as your presiding officer, and it is a pleasure marred by only one consideration. That is, in the discharge of my duties I am compelled to turn my back on the people of Helena, something which I loath to do. (Laughter and applause.) We are here for the purpose of selecting, in our judgment, the best officers, as was well stated by Mr. Knight, to discharge the duties devolving upon officers in the interests of the entire people of Helena. I believe this convention can do it, and do it satisfactorily, and I believe they will receive the verdict of well done from the people."

who will receive the votes of the citizens of Helena, a gentleman whom you all know, a gentleman of integrity, capacity and abil-ity, a gentleman known to the workingnen as their friend, a gentleman who will lischarge with business ability the duties of the office of mayor, with bonor to the people. He will make a mayor all will be proud of. His nomination will not only please all democrats, but please the republicans as well. I take great pleasure in nominating your fellow citizen, Jacob Loeb, for mayor of Helena." (Loud applease)

Dr. Steele seconded the motion, which was put to a viva voce vote and carried Mr. Loeb was called upon and accepted

low citizens: I cheerfully accept the nomi-nation as your candidate. (Capt. Smith: 'A little louder, Jake.') Ali I ask is your full support, and if I get it there will be no word as fail." (Applause.) Steele moved that the nomination be uch word as fail." sade unanimous and the motion prevailed

Dr. Steele placed in nomination for city reasurer Amos Johnson. The doctor said he would like to place in nomination one who was well known, a laboring man who had come here in 1860, a man who a few years ago had had nis fingers blown off in an accident, and who was now superintendent of the West Side water works. No better man could be found for the office. etter man could be found for the office. le would therefore nominate Amos H.

T. F. Mathias and Ben Folk were placed Messrs. McConnell and Langhorne were pointed tellers and a ballot was taken ulting as follows: Johnson, 43; Mathias, Mr. Johnson, having received the highest number of votes, was declared the nomi-

vailed.

Mr. Johnson was called for but did not appear. Dr. Steele said Mr. Johnson was so modest that he would even blush to take a man s taxes, and with that explanation the audience seemed to be satisfied.

General Turner placed in nomination C. P. Connolly for police magistrate. General Turner said the time had come when some gentleman who is educated in the science of the law should be elected to fill the office of police magistrate. He knew of a gentleman in the convention who had been defeated last fall for county attorney on the democratic ticket and who went down with the balance, yet came up smildown with the balance, yet came up smiling. He had no doubt the gentleman would snow under his republican opponent. The speaker then piaced in nomination Christopher P. Connolly for police

nominated by acclamation.

Mr. Connolly returned thanks for the MAJ. MAGINNIS' REMARKS.

Mr. Maginnis was especially called on, and finally was persuaded to make a few remarks from his place in the rear of the remarks from his place in the rear of the convention, declining the call to the platform. He said it used to be said "The old guard died, but never surrendered." It was very evident that the democracy of Lewis and Clarke never died and never surrendered. (Applause.) It was also evident that the democracy of the town tonight were true to the large and liberal ideas in which that party was conceived and born and nurtured—true to the old standard that measures citizens by their worth and standing among their fellow men—and rises above all considerations of nativity, race or creed. (Cheers.) It is not in sympathy with the ideas so lately put forth by certain parties in Washington, that a race which has furnished the present statesman of the century, Disraeli, the that a race which has furnished the present statesman of the century, Disraeli, the leading financier, Rothschild, the purest patriot, Gambetta, the most versatile actor, Rachel, the greatest artist and the finest composer of the age, was not capable of producing a man fit to be governor of Montana. (Applause.) The only man who had marshailed the republicans to victory in this territory, though admitted to be otherwise unobjectionable, and with ninetents of his party behind him, had been shelved on this narrow ground, notwithstanding the chosen representative of the people, by a young man who has the opportunity of taking his meals at the white house and wiping his sugar-coated brow on towels that are marked with the initials of Uncle Sam. (Cheers) The people of Montana want no paternal government, and no pa government, with our without the ternal and they reovernment, and no pa government, with or without the ternal, and they rejoice that the day is coming when they will not be ruled through family intrigues at a distant capital, but by their own free choice at home. (Cheers.) There is something thing more than party considerations to be considered in municipal elections. We should choose the best men to take care of the growth of the city and of the interests and property of their neighbors and friends.

He had a high regard for Capt. Fuller, his neighbor, comrade and friend, but the rebuke to the people to-night was a rebuke to narrow and sectarian views of the belief to narrow and sectarian views of the belief and race of men. It showed that the people possessed a liberal and independent spirit and that they were pitted for the self-government to which they aspired. Mr. Maginnis referred to the fact that his house had been occupied by Mr. Hershfield during the autumn, and thought from his own, as well as Mr. Hershfield's experience, that there must be something fatal to aspirations for governorship about that abode. (Uproarious laughter.) Mr. Power had also lived there. (Cheers.) Mr. Carter, when compelled to endorse Mr. White, testified that he was native born, and had good health, and was the father of three children. These requisites might bar out Mr. Power and the speaker, but Hershfield had the requisite qualifications Mr. Power and the speaker, but Hershfield had the requisite qualifications in that respect. It must have been the race that was objectionable. (Laughter.) Political endorsements could not stand against domestic entreaty. A year ago the republicans won by the aid of recruits from the democracy. This year we expect our own people to all come back and to bring with them many of those to whom they had temporarily gone over as missionaries. With the aid of these recruits we will determine the question as to whether the peo-

With the aid of these recruits we will determine the question as to whether the people shall choose their own rulers at the poils, or have them chosen in family conference between the coffee and cakes at the breakfast table. [Appiause.]

A city central committee was selected, with W. B. Webb for chairman, the others being the chairmen of the ward delegations.

The convention then adjourned.

The Sixth Ward.

Daniel Hanley has accepted the demo cratic nomination for alderman in the sixth ward. Mr. Hanley said yesterday to an INDEPENDENT reporter that he had been urged to make the race by a large number of people, both democrats and republicans. The nomination of Mr. Dayton by the primary meeting Tuesday evening, Mr. Hanley said, was a deserved compliment to an earnest young democrat, and he regretted that Mr. Dayton had been obliged to decline. His own vote at the primary showed that he had a strong following, and he cheer-fully responded to the ward committee's request to take the position instead of Mr. Dayton.

REPORTORIAL NOTES.

Appraisers for grading Eighth avenue made a report yesterday, but the report was not obtainable.

Prof. Engelhorn's college hall. Come prepared to ask questions. Henry A Seymour and Mrs. Lottie McGrath were given a marriage license yesterday by Judge Howey. Dudley DuBose, a young attorney from Georgia, was admitted to practice yester-day in the courts of Montana.

Two other cases were filed against Landsman & Co. yesterday. A. M. Herod for \$4,200 and Henry Jones for \$4,000. The National base ball club of this city desires to meet the Independents or Stars Sunday afternoon, to play a match game at the Helena grounds. This is a chal-

The alleged mining machinery thieves had a hearing before Justice Fielscher yesterday, which resulted in the discharge of Joseph Byron and H. E. Marchall, who were found not guilty. Joseph Burlese was held to the charge and will have his

A London cable dispatch of the 23d inst. stated that Mrs. Robert Horace Walpole, formerly Miss Louise Corbin, of Helena, was very ill and not expected to recover. The scandal in which her husband was inof a German governess, Miss Weldemann, for breach of promise, seriously affected her nervous system and undermined her general health. She recently gave birth to A telegram received at the Bradstreet

The first order of business being the nomination of a mayer, E. W. Knight was recognized and placed in nomination Jacob Loeb. He said:

"Gentlemen of the Convention: I have been assigned a very pleasant duty, and that is to place in nomination a gentleman that is to place in nomination and the said to be thorough an erroneous report concerning his affairs, of which a wo-

In the Helena land office yesterday no-tices were posted announcing that the fol-lowing townships had been surveyed and plats thereof entered at the Helena office: plats thereof entered at the Helena office:
Township 7 north, range 15 west (being near Philipsburg) and township 12 north,
range 12 west (being near Bozeman). After April 27, 1886, applications for land en-

#### PERSONAL.

J. E. Conrad, of Fort Benton, is in the

C. A. Hermann and W. T. Thornton, New York, arrived in the city yesterday. J. C. Shaubut and wife came in from Deer Lodge last night on the delayed train J. T. Murphy and Geo. F. Smith, of Min eapolis, are among the new arrivals at the

Miss May Shultz of this city has gone to Great Falls to visit friends, and will be absent about a month. P. J. McMorrow, of St. Louis, returned last night from Butte, which place he re-ports full of idle miners.

Judge Thos. C. Bach was in the city yes-terday and will leave for Lewiston, Fergus county, to-day to open court. Mrs. E. H. Smith from New York, who will take charge of H. Tonn's millinery de-partment, arrived in Helena yesterday.

Mrs. H. A. Heathwood returned from Philipsburg yesterday and will open a class in Christian Science Mental Healing next Monday night at 8 o'clock in her rooms, 44

Judge Jos. Davis has gone east to take a needed rest after the long strain upon his mental faculties while in the legislature. The judge is accompanied by his wife and will be absent about six weeks, during which time he will visit Washington, Burlington, Montrey and San Jose and other points mentioned in his railway guide.

If you are in need of artificial teeth w would advise you to go and examine the beautiful celluloid sets—something new, at

Montana Investment Company Announcement.

Owing to opposition from certain quarters the sale of tickets for the Aborn house drawing has been so materially interfered with that the drawing will be delayed a short time. And the session of the legislature just closed having passed a law pro hibiting lotteries in this territory, a change of headquarters will be made. The man-agement of the Montana Investment comagement of the Montana Investment com-pany is determined that the drawing shall take place and ticket holders protected, notwithstanding these obstacles, as we have both pride and honor at stake that cannot be sacrificed. Ticket holders can rest assured that the drawing will now pos-itively take place on Tuesday, July 30, next. All tickets heretofore sold will of course be good at the drawing. Arrange-ments for new headquarters will be per-fected immediately and duly announced. Respectfully,

Respectfully,
THE MONTANA INVESTMENT Co.

A long felt want supplied—the first-class estaurant of J. W. Scarff.

H. Tonn has just returned from New York where he has been for four weeks selecting goods. His long experience in the millinery business has taught him that it is very necessary to make a study of the art to bring out the best effect of every article that is necessary for a bonnet. He has made a special effort this season to get the best selection of goods possible. Every style is complete with the latest importa-tions and the finest goods.

Frog legs at Jas. S. Dunn & Co. Tele-

Democratic City Committee. The democratic city committee, consisting of the following members: O. B. Totten, W. L. Steele, P. J. Connor, Don Daven-

port, F. M. Kuntz, J. B. Halford, John Steinmetz, are requested to meet at the office of Dr. Steele, Hale block, at 8 o'clock this evening. WM. B. WEBB, Chairman. Try our best patent flour, the best in the market, and Whittaker Star hams, at

## RAILROAD DEAL.

Reported Consolidation of the North ern Pacific and Wisconsin Central Assuming Shape.

Workmen on the New Bailey Building Strike Dirt Which Will Pay to Pan.

Pleasant Entertainment at the Y. M. A. Rooms-Lecal Happenings of Interest.

The one topic of discussion in local rail way circles is the reported consolidation of been sent out from time to time, but they have only been rumors. It was pretty generally believed, however, that negotiations pointing to this end were on the tapis, as the Northern Pacific, to maintain its posi tion, must have, sooner or later, a Chicago outlet. The Canadian Pacific and all other transcontinental lines have direct Chicago connection. The Wisconsin Central is the only line that can afford the outlet the Northern Pacific seeks. That an effort to secure this line has been made is announced in the dispatches, but whether it is a lease or consolidation is not definitely known. It is also stated that only a traffic arrangement has been entered into. Nevertheless it is certain that beginning at

Nevertheless it is certain that beginning at an early date the Northern Pacific will handle its Chicago and eastern business via the Wisconsin Central.

One of the reports is to the effect that an operating lease has been made and that the Northern Pacific pays as rental 35 per cent. of the gross receipts. President Oakes is quoted as saying the company can operate the road for 62 per cent. and that he can make a profit on the lease independently of the advantage accruing to the company from the possession of a through line. from the possession of a through line.

The new arrangement adds to the Northern Pacific system 767 miles of road, includ-

ern Pacific system 767 miles of road, including 344 miles of the Wisconsin Central, 187 miles of leased lines and 236 miles of affiliated roads. It is believed that the new plan will prove a great benefit to the Wisconsin Central, which has of late not been overburdened with business. With the new connection the Northern Pacific will prove a powerful competitor for business and with the influence of the interstate commerce law to steady rates there is no reason why the investment shouldn't prove a profitable one.

Official Announcement Traffic Manager J. M. Hannaford, of the Northern Pacific, has just issued the following circular:

"Mr. A. L. Stokes having resigned to take service with another company, Mr. A. D. Edgar is hereby appointed general agent, representing both the freight and passenrepresenting both the freight and passenger departments, with headquarters at Heiena, Mont., and will have general supervision of Montana traffic except to and from Montana Union railway points.

"Mr. James McCaig, agent of this company at Butte, Mont., is hereby appoited general agent representing both the freight and passenger departments, with office at Butte, as heretofore, and will have general supervision of traffic to and from Montana Union railway points.

"Appointments to take effect April 1, 1889."

The only item of news in this is the pro-

The only item of news in this is the promotion of James McCaig from agent to general agent. Heretofore he has reported to the Helena office, but will now report to the St. Paul office. He will also be agent of the Gallatin branch into Butte, work upon which will soon begin in earnest

omatic car coupler, of his own invention for which a patent has been applied for. Mr. Graham says that for four years he has been working on car coupling devices, and during the time made about twenty models, none of which satisfied him until he hit upon the one he now exhibits. It is the simplest kind of an arrangement, and if ever adopted will do away with lifting pins and endangering men's lives by going between the cars. It also abolishes entirely the persents of compiler he hard. between the cars. It also abolishes entirely the necessity of coupling by hand. By this patent cars can be coupled from either the sides or the top of cars. There are said to be four thousand different car couplers, but it is safe to presume that none of them will approach Mr. Graham's patent in perfection. Brakesman have often prayed for an invention by which loss of limb and sometimes life could be prevented in coupan invention by which loss of limb and sometimes life could be prevented in coupling cars and if this patent is not just the thing is difficult to imagine how a better one could be invented. Mr. Graham commplates going to St. Paul soon, to lay his invention before the big railroad men, and it looks as though his fortune is made.

St. Paul to Tacoma in Five Days. Spokane Fails special: A prominent Northern Pacific official said: The Washington Central, or Big Bend branch, will be continued this season west to Waterville near the Columbia river. The line will cross the river, run up Winatchee valley to cross the river, run up Winatchee valley to Cleelum, where the main line will be joined again. This saves ninety miles over the present route via Pasco. Running time will be reduced from Spokane west twelve hours. Other changes from Missoula and in Montana east of Spokane will reduce it twelve hours more, reducing the time to Tacoma from St. Paul one day, and across the continent by Spokane and St. Paul to five days. The road may be built east from Cleelum as well as west from Davenport. Other lines to Okanogan and Colville mining camps are in contemplation.

Northern Pacific train No. 2, from the west, arrived at midnight four hours late. Passengers state the delay was due to an accident in the Cascade tunnel Wednesday morning, whereby a freight train containing several cars of cattle broke down. The trucks of one of the cattle cars fell, result-ing in the demolition of the car and the killing of several cattle. It took nine hours to clear the smash-up.

The Wisconsin Central Agreement NEW YORK, March 28 .- The executive of the proposition to operate the Wisconsin Central road under a traffic agreement. The original proposition was rejected and a new one considerably modified, substituted. This was discussed for several hours to-day and then forwarded to the executive officers of the two companies to be further changed. The committee then adjourned until next week. It is stated that the proposition now being considered is entirely different from the one first made, and that if any agreement is made with the Wisconsin Central it will be just as beneficial to the Northern Pacific as to the Wisconsin Central, and will not be one-sided. It is also officially stated that the interest of lines competing with the Northern Pacific will be carefully considered, and that any agreement reached will be of such a character as to meet the approbation of competitive lines. The original proposition was rejected and

CHICAGO, March 28 .- Gen. McNulta, re-

eiver of the Wabash railway, has sent a an early ruling as to the legality of paying ons on the sale of passenger tickets. Gen. McNulta says the western roads ets. Gen. McNulta says the western roads continue paying commissions and no meeting has been called with a view to stopping it. As a result of the telegram Judge Cooley this afternoon wired Chairman Abbott, of the Western States Passenger association, the following: "What Chicago roads, if any, still pay commissions on passenger traffic? If any, see if it is necessary to summon them here in order to stop it." A meeting will probably be called in a day or two to consider the question.

JOHN T. MURPHY & Co.'s. | Grand Junction, Col., down the Grand fused to surr

had to have them set aside as fraudulent and void by a court judgment. In the in-terval between his two terms at the head of the treasury Mr. Windom has succeeded in frescoing his record with a good many river to a junction with Green river through the territory of Utah, the states of Nevada and California, and the territory of Arizona, thence to the mouth of the Colo-rado river to a point where it empties into the gulf of California and thence to the cities of San Francisco, San Diego and Los Angeles. The incorporators are all Colorado men. The principal offices will be at Denver with branch offices at Boston and New York. LAST OF THE BONANZA KINGS

Notes and Personals. T. N. Jarvis, manager of the Trader's Despatch with headquarters at Buffalo, and man, whose well-trimmed beard is taking Chas. D. Parker, of St. Paul, northwestern on the gray that comes to the hardiest with agent for the same organization, were

A useful pamphlet for sportsmen, both local and tourist, has just been issued by the Union Pacific. Besides giving the American Gun club rules, it contains the game

W. Mackay was easily chief. Frame stalwart, short of six feet in height, but built laws of all the northwestern states and teritories. Call on agent Veazie and get one The Union Pacific has attached buffet when he and "Jimmie" Fair went up from sleepers to its first class trains. They contain a dining apartment in which meals are served at all hours, and are especially for the benefit of ladies with children traveling without escorts.

THEY STRUCK "PAY."

Workmen on Main Street Run Across Dirt Containing Color.

"In the days of old, in the days of gold, in the days of '69."

made the fortunes of the bonanza quadriinteral, of whom two have joined the majority and two only are left to count and
multiply the most marvelous aggregation
of millions the Monte Cristos of modern
times have amassed. Jason may have
done as much with his golden fleece and his
good ship Argo, from which all the Argonauts of '49 took their names. But people
won't remember Argonauts simply for
their millions, and Jason is only a name,
as Flood and O'Brien, too, will soon be to
the metropolis. But Fair, the These are the lines a jolly workman was singing yesterday while delving in the excavation for the Bailey building on Main street. He changed the song to suit the days of Last Chance mining. An INDE-PENDENT reporter, attracted by the melodious tones, which went right home to him, as it was a parody on the song he used to sing in '49 down in "Californy," apure than a name, and Mackay-well, Mackay is a force. When the Bonanza is forgotten the Mackay cable will probably range in history not far behind the Edison phonograph and the Morse telegraph.

John W. Mackay is a quiet-mannered man, but he loves the society of people who are able to interject into the hundrum current of affairs a spice of wit or a smatcavation for the Bailey building on Main proached the man, saying: "Well, pard, what are you singing about?" "Just come down here and I'll show

you. Do you see that?" he said, pointing

to a pile of dirt. "Well, there's color in

that, and we've just struck a whole pile of it down here at bedrock." On looking down a shaft about sixteen feet, which among several others are be-ing made to hold the stone foundations for heavy iron pillars, part of the old workings of Last Chance placer diggings could be plainly seen. It was down at bedrock, but timbers and old sluice-boxes which had been in there, had long since been covered up, and the creek filled in to the level of the street, a total depth of about twenty-five feet. The old ground was not entirely worked out and there yet remains a good quantity of pay dirt. But it is only on an occasion of this kind, when the ground is occasion of this kind, when the ground is opened for building purposes, that it would pay to look for the dirt. Three of these 16-foot shafts have already been made, and in each one pay dirt has been found at bed rock. Several wagon loads have been taken out by the workmen, who will have it hauled to some place where water can be had, and will put the dirt through the panning process. The dirt is full of color and will doubtless amply remunerate the men for their pains. One handful was panned out yesterday which yielded about twenty cents.

A PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT.

The large audience which attended the Y. M. C. A. chamber concert, given in the Granite block last night, was given a delightfu! musical treat, and the rendition of the several numbers was excellent. The duett, "I Live and Love Thee," by Misses Smith and McEvily, was heartily encored, while Miss Atkinson, accompanied by Profs. Yeager and Newars, sang "Ye Merry Birds" with such effect that she was recalled several times amidst deafening ap-C. A. Graham, of this city, exhibited in the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday an automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yesterday and automatic expression of the Northern Pacific office yes plause. Miss Dolly Pean's ex cution of which called for loud applause, while Mr. Worcester's tenor solo of "The Old Guard" was clear and full of pathos. Mrs. Pitts played "Novelette," by Schubert, in a manner that ranks her among the artists. Mr. Wallace did not appear for his zither solo, but the disappointment felt was greatly assuaged by the cornet solo of Master Daniel Gruidrod, whose clever per-

Scarff is running the finest restaurant on Grand street that has ever been in Helena.

On and after March 20 the stages of this company will leave Cascade daily except Sunday for all points north. Take the stage at Cascade for Fort Shaw, Sun River, Choteau and all other towns. Leave Cascade daily at 3 p. m.

Leave Sun River daily at 7 a. m. Connects with all trains on M. C. R. R.; carries passengers, U. S. mail and express. Don't hesitate, but take the stage at Cas-

cade to get there.
THE C. J. HILDEBRAND STAGE Co. Teeth extracted without pain with the lectric vibrator at Drs. Stone & Head.

Barker & Clark Bros have sold to J. W. McLeod, of A. M. Holter & Co., their imported black French draft stallion Matador, No. 6,076, consideration \$1,500. The same to J. Duffy, of Marysville, their mammoth youngster "Massive, No. 5,259," foaled June, 1887, weight 1,510 pounds.

Mrs. M. F. Bishop has removed from 11 North Rodney street to 412 Broadway, where she will continue dressmaking. All work done promptly and in first class style. Can and Will.

Furnish all kinds of rough and cut stone of first quality for less than any firm in the business. Montana Granite Company,

R. C. Wallace has removed his store to the new Pittsburgh block, two doors below the First National bank. A New Verb, "To Pigott."

Pall Mall Gazette: Already the topic of the day has impressed itself upon the Engish language, and the words "pigottry" and "to pigott" have been passed from ommittee of the Northern Pacific met papers into parliamentary usage. Here is a passage from Mr. Healy's speech on Thursday, which will appear in due course, I suppose, in the New English Dictionary: "Feeling the pressure of that point, the right honorable gentleman put up the solicitor-general for Ireland yesterday to make a statement—pigotted him, in fact, and he pigotted the house." The speaker did, indeed, subsequently remark that Mr. Healy "made use of an expression which, I trust, will not become common in this house." But new words which "catch on," as the phrase is, cannot be stopped even by so powerful a person as the speaker of the house of commons, and I expect that "to pigott" will become as much of a recognized term as to boycott.

Troy Times: Judge Kelley, the Pennsylvania congressman, chewed tobacco constantly for over fifty years. He had a piece of the weed in his mouth alwayseven going to sleep with a quid folded in his cheek. At last a nicotine cancer develhis cheek. At last a nicotine cancer developed and he had to submit to a terrible operation, the cutting of the cancer from the mouth. On the morning when the surgeons were going to operate upon him the judge put a piece of tobacco siyly into his mouth. His daughter detected it and urged her father to take it out. "My daughter," said the sturdy congressman, "those doctors will be here to cut me up in just about one hour; they tell me that the chances are that I may die under the operation; now before I die I mean to have one more good chew."

Shadows on Windom's Record. St. Louis Post-Dispatch: The owners of several Lake Superior mining properties are telling queer stories about their trans Another Pacific Road.

DENVER, March 28.—Articles have been filed with the secretary of state of the Colorado Canon & Pacific railway, with a capital of \$2,000,000. It is proposed to build railway and telegraph lines from Grand Junction, Col., down the Grand

Real Estate and Loans, Rooms 3, 4, and

\$1000 Each for two house lots on Sixth

\$1500 Only one corner left on Montans

\$425 Lot on Ninth ave., 50 ft. front.

\$4700 For an elevant residence in Grand room, all improvements and conveniences inside and out, barn on premises. Must be seen to be appreciated.

current of affairs a spice of wit or a smat-tering of worldly wisdom, a good story for an sppc izer and a goof punch for a night. cap. Mackay is very fond of Col. Thomas P. Ochiltree for these and other reasons. He finds Col. Ochiltree very "useful to him in his business." St. Stephen's Review, London: If it was wrong for Lord Sackville to express an opinion about the American presidential contest, how, then, is it right for Gen. Harrison, a month after his election to the presidency, to sign an address to Mr. Glad-

Stone in support of home rule for Ireland. Yet the very same people who shrieked condemnation on our minister are now applauding the man whom the men hostile to us assisted into power. Huntsville (Ala.) Mercury: When a Kansas editor makes an affidavit that he saw a grasshopper light down on the back of a robin and lift him two feet high, in an effort to carry him off, is simply one soli-tary instance of the richness of the soil of the state. Next year they are going to tame the grasshepper and use him to hunt

the Ex-Californian

New York World: The king of the bon

anza kings is back in town. A big, quiet

the close of the first half century of life.

Eyes deep and instrospective, now that the

old prospective days are gone when of all

wart, short of six feet in height, but built

'Frisco into the silver-lined Sierras and

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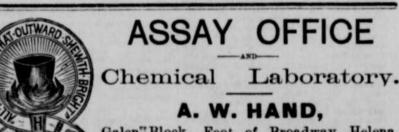
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